

The Fifth Generation

SOLOMON R. HEIDT

Solomon R. Heidt⁵ (Solomon Heidt⁴, Christian Israel Heidt, Jr.³, Christian Israel Heidt, Sr.², Johan George Heidt¹)

Solomon R. Heidt, born about 1842, was the second son of Solomon Heidt and Caroline M. Bowman. He was just a baby when his father died. His mother remarried on 5 Mar 1843, to Lewis Hindly. (Marriage, 1806-1851, folio101, Chatham Co., Ga.).

Private S. R. Heidt is listed in the Roll of the Banks Rangers on 16 Jun 1862, as is John I. Heidt, his brother.

On 20 Apr 1862, he married Amy E. Zipperer. This marriage license was recorded in Effingham Co., Ga. on 7 April 1902. (Marriage Bk. B, p. 490). There is also a record of a marriage license issued to Solomon R. Heidt and Amy E. Zipperer in Chatham Co., Ga., on 19 Apr 1862. (Marriages 1851-1866, p. 114, Chatham Co., Ga.). Amy's uncle, Zachariah Zipperer, had been Solomon's guardian. (Letters of Guardianship, Bk. 3, p. 20).

On 18 Oct 187? [probably 1873 or 1878] Amy Heidt, along with Ann Zipperer, Telbert Zipperer, Thomas A. Zipperer, all of Effingham, sold 50 acres of land to James C. Zipperer for \$100.00. (Dd. Bk. W, p. 346). This would seem to indicate that Solomon was dead by this time, since he did not sign. It would also place Amy as the sister of Telbert, who married Ellen, daughter of Christian Israel Heidt, Jr.

In the 1888 Directory of the City of Savannah, a Mrs. Amy Heidt is listed. She was a domestic and lived on Duffy St., two doors west of Jefferson. She was still listed in the 1896 City Directory, but no occupation was listed for her then. She lived at 275 Henry St., and was listed as the widow of S. Heidt.

The 1880 U. S. Census for Effingham Co., Ga. lists Amy Heidt, age 40, and her son, Horace C. Heidt, age 14.

If there were other children, it is not known.

CHILDREN

1. Horace C. Heidt, born 1866 in Effingham Co., Ga.

An image from the original book is included in the Appendix for the Appraisement of the Estate of Solomon Heidt, Appraisement Book 3, page 203, Effingham County, Georgia. The quality is somewhat low and hard to read.

THOMAS ROBERT HEIDT

Thomas Robert Heidt⁵ (Josiah Heidt⁴, Mathew Heidt³, Abiel Heidt², Johan George Heidt¹)

Thomas Robert Heidt was the oldest child of Josiah Heidt and Julia Miller. He was born about 1850 in Effingham Co., Ga. He is listed as one year old in the 1850 U. S. Census for Effingham Co., where he appears in the household of Cyrus Heidt and his wife Julia. (This was apparently a short or nickname for Josiah). In the 1860 U. S. Census for Effingham Co., he appears as eleven years old, in the household of J. W. Heidt. He is designated by T. R. Heidt. In the 1850 Census, he is called Thomas.

On 5 Oct 1876, he married Fenwick Frances Mingledorff, daughter of Norman Mingledorff and Georgia R. Dasher. (Marriage Bk. 5, p. 220). The marriage was performed by J. Austin, Lutheran minister. It is not known when they died or where they are buried.

CHILDREN

- +1. Josiah (Joseph) Norman Heidt
2. Georgia Heidt, born 1878, in Effingham Co., Ga.,
married W. W. Cochran
3. Gertrude Heidt, married Randolph Trout
4. Charlie Heidt
5. Ruby Heidt
6. Jacob Ray Heidt married (1) --- Stokes,
married (2) --- Cochran
- +7. Llewelly C. Heidt

GEORGE WASHINGTON HEIDT

George Washington Heidt⁵, (James E. Heidt⁴, Mathew Heidt³, Abiel Heidt², Johan George Heidt¹).

The oldest child of James E. Heidt and Ann Rebecca Horning was born 17 Oct 1845. He married Clarissa (Narcissa) Elizabeth Willis, born 19 Oct 1849. She was the daughter of Ben Willis. (HEIDT AND ALLIED FAMILIES--Edwards).

When the War Between the States broke out, he enlisted in the Confederate Army. For some reason, he went to Georgetown, S. C. and enlisted on 1 Nov 1863. He served as a private in Co. E., 7 Reg., Georgia Calvary. On 11 Jun 1864, he was taken prisoner by the Union Army at Point Lookout, Md. He was captured at Louisa Court House and transferred to Point Elmira, N. Y. on 25 Jul 1864, and released there on 17 Jul 1865. His name appears as signature to Oath of Allegiance at Elmira, N. Y. on 7 Jul 1865. At the time of his enlistment, he was living in Savannah, Ga. According to his military record he had a fair complexion, dark hair, hazel eyes and was five feet four and a half inches tall. In April, 1864, he was absent on detail to go to Effingham Co., for a horse and was to rejoin the Company at Merdersville. He was present on April 30, 1864. (General Services Administration – Veterans Records, National Archives, Washington, D. C.) .

After the war, he returned to Savannah where he was active in civic affairs. In Jan., 1866, he served on the Committee of Examination for admitting Robert Falligant to the Bar. (Savannah Newspaper Digest, Vol. 14, pt. 1, 1863, p. 140).

He served as the administrator of the estate of Daniel Heidt, (who was probably his cousin.).

On Thursday, 13 Jun 1918, he died in Savannah, and was buried in Lot K, Laurel Grove Cemetery. (Keepers Record Book, L. G. C.). His residence at the time of his death was 15 E. Anderson St., Savannah, Ga.

Clarissa (Narcissa) Heidt died 7 Mar 1924. Her age was seventy-five years, three months, and two days. (Keeper's Record Bk., L. G. C.). She is buried with her husband in Lot K, Laurel Grove Cemetery, Savannah, Ga.

There were a total of eight children born to George Washington Heidt and Clarissa (Narcissa) Willis Heidt.

CHILDREN

- +1. James Benjamin Heidt
- 2. Clifford Semo Heidt, a daughter, born 30 Apr 1878,
Died 10 Sep 1959, married (1) 27 Jul 1898
to John Franklin Mahoney.
- +3. Thomas Lawton Heidt
- 4. William Lee Heidt, born 2 Jul 1882.
- 5. Carrie Clementine Heidt, born May 1884,
married W. W. Lee (obituary of Thomas Lawton Heidt).
- 6. Tizzie Lee Heidt, born 4 Feb 1886, married 2 Jul 1906, to William
Vernie Knowlton.
- 7. Horace Lester Heidt
- 8. Carrie Elizabeth Heidt, born 9 Sep 1891,
died 17 Apr 1966, married Claus Zipperer
on 11 Jul 1912.

Others in the same cemetery lot are:

Horace L. Heidt	Leta Morgan Heidt
8-27-1885	10-3-1894
4-21-1963	7-11-1968
Horace D. Heidt	
1-14-1913	
7-25-1920	

Three images from the original book are included in the Appendix for the Military Record of George Washington Heidt, National Archives, Washington, D.C. The quality is good.

HENRY HOWKINS HEIDT

HENRY HOWKINS HEIDT⁵ (James E. Heidt⁴, Mathew Heidt³, Abiel Heidt², Johan George Heidt¹)

The second son and fourth child of James E. Heidt and Rebecca Horning, was born 2 May 1858, in Effingham Co., Ga. (Georgia Salzburgers and Allied Families--Gnann).

On 8 Jul 1889, he was married in Savannah, Ga., to Laura V. Dukes of Savannah, daughter of Thomas Dukes and Annie R. The marriage was performed by the Rev. T. E. Davenport, pastor of Marvin Methodist-Episcopal Church. (Marriage Bk, G, p. 569, Chatham Co., Ga.).

He was living in Savannah by 1888, for the City Directory for that year lists him as boarding on the west side of Guerand, the first house south of Walker. By 1890, he was living at 20 Ann Street and worked at Bacon, Bryan, and Co. By 1891, he lived at 227 Jones St. and worked for A. S. Bacon and Son. He was a machinist for that company in 1892, and lived at 8 Sim. He continued working at the same place and to move frequently, for in 1893 he lived at 235³/₄ Jones St.; at 239¹/₄ Bay St. in 1895 and 1896. In 1897, he resided at 404 Bryan, west. The directory for this year listed wives as well as the head of the household and Laura is listed as his wife.

In 1901, 1902, and 1903, he lived in Pooler.

Laura and Martha J. Harwell jointly owned 28 acres of land which had been conveyed to them by Annie R. Dukes. It was part of the land originally known as the Stewart Tract. It was resurveyed and subdivided in July, 1872, by John R. Tebeau, when 13 ¹/₄ acres was laid off as a Homestead to Thomas Dukes in Jan. 1875. In March, 1901, Laura sold her half to Martha for \$25.00. This deed was not recorded until Jan., 1911. (Dd. Bk.10, p.379, Chatham Co., Ga.).

It is not known when Laura died, but it was before November, 1908. On 5 Nov 1908, Henry married Mrs. Julia E. Richardson of Savannah. (Marriages, Bk. U, p. 408-Chatham Co., Ga.). The ceremony was performed by Allen Crawford, Baptist Minister. Julia was born 20 Aug 1870.

Henry H. Heidt died 21 Jun 1930 at Savannah Hospital and is buried in lot 2344, Laurel Grove Cemetery in Savannah. Keeper's Record Book, L.G.C., Savannah, Ga.). He was sixty-six years old. Julia E. Heidt is buried beside him. She died 7 May 1938.

Julia's son-in-law, William Francis Ryan, is also buried in the lot with them. He was born in 1884 and died in 1963. He married Julia's daughter, Lila Richardson, who was born in 1898.

If Henry had any children by either marriage, it is unknown.